

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, for the past several years, the International Polka Association and the United States Polka Association have endeavored to promote the national dance and music of their native Poland; and

WHEREAS, the Polka is enjoyed throughout the country by people of all denominations, creeds and ages; and

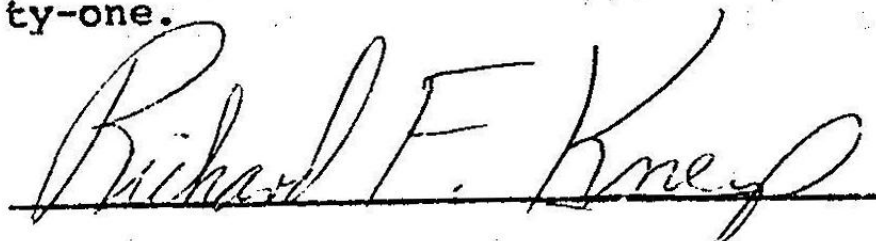
WHEREAS, the popularity of this 'happy music' in recent years has been increasing:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of January 1972 as

NATIONAL POLKA MUSIC MONTH

to rally the enthusiasm of the citizenry of this state for Polka activities during the coming month.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 7th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-one.



RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE MICROPHOTODUPLICATION IMAGE APPEARING ON THIS SLIDE OF MICROFILM IS AN ACCURATE REPRODUCTION OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD AND WAS MICROFILMED IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF SOUTH DAKOTA COMPILLED LAWS 19-17-1. IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS USED FOR MICROFILMING OF THE ABOVE RECORDS WAS IN A MANNER WHICH MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS FOR PERMANENT MICROPHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTIONS.

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